

Augustin C. Titus,  
President

1565.

Capital \$100,000

Edward Newton,  
Cashier.

Chartered 1834 - National Organization 1865.

## The National Exchange Bank

38 Washington Square,

Newport, R. I. Aug 24 1894

August Townsend Esq

Superintendent

C. S. Smith

Philadelphia Penn



Dear Sir

Under date Aug 15, I ordered of  
you '100. cents new coin, which  
you acknowledged under date Aug 17,  
saying they would be sent in about a week,  
they arrived to day and on opening  
found they are all old coin, but  
being taken up in some manner, they are  
not what I ordered, and that your  
letter stated you had no new coin  
I should have asked you to hold until  
you had, I send these old coins to  
and then U.S. for redemption as our  
customers ~~want~~ at this time of year  
desire new coin.

Can they be exchanged if I return to you  
express paid or will you send new coin on  
receipt of check entering my order from this date.  
only an early reply. I am Yours &c.

Edward Newton Cashier

Newport. R.I.

Aug. 24, 1894

National Exchange Bank

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Coins being sent in  
place of new Coins  
ordered.

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[Abstract:] Complains of old coins being sent in place of new coins ordered.

The National Exchange Bank  
Newport, R.I.  
August 24, 1894

Eugene Townsend Esq.  
Superintendent  
U.S. Mint  
Philadelphia Penn.

Dear Sir

Under date Aug. 15, I ordered of you \$100 cents new coin, which you acknowledged under date Aug. 17, saying they would be sent in about a week, they arrived to-day and on opening find they are all old coin, but being struck up in some manner, they are not what I ordered, and had your letter stated you had no new coin should have asked you to hold until you had. I send these old coin to and hear U.S. for redemption as our customers at this time of year desire new coin.

Can they be exchanged if I return to you express paid, or will you send new coin on receipt of check entering my order from this date. Asking an early reply.

I remain yours &c.  
Edward Newton, Cashier